

**PHOTOGRAPHIC-QUALITY PRINTS AND METHODS  
FOR MAKING THE SAME**

***Abstract of the Disclosure***

5           A method for creating photographic-quality prints and prints produced by  
these methods are disclosed. The prints generally comprise three layers: a  
transparent carrier; an image, and a particle-based undercoat. The transparent  
carrier comprises a substrate for receiving an image. The image can be  
produced by inkjet, electrostatic, or other imaging methods, including reverse  
10   printing methods. The particle-based undercoat layer is applied to the image  
containing side of the transparent carrier. Also disclosed is an apparatus for  
producing said prints by methods of the present invention.

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